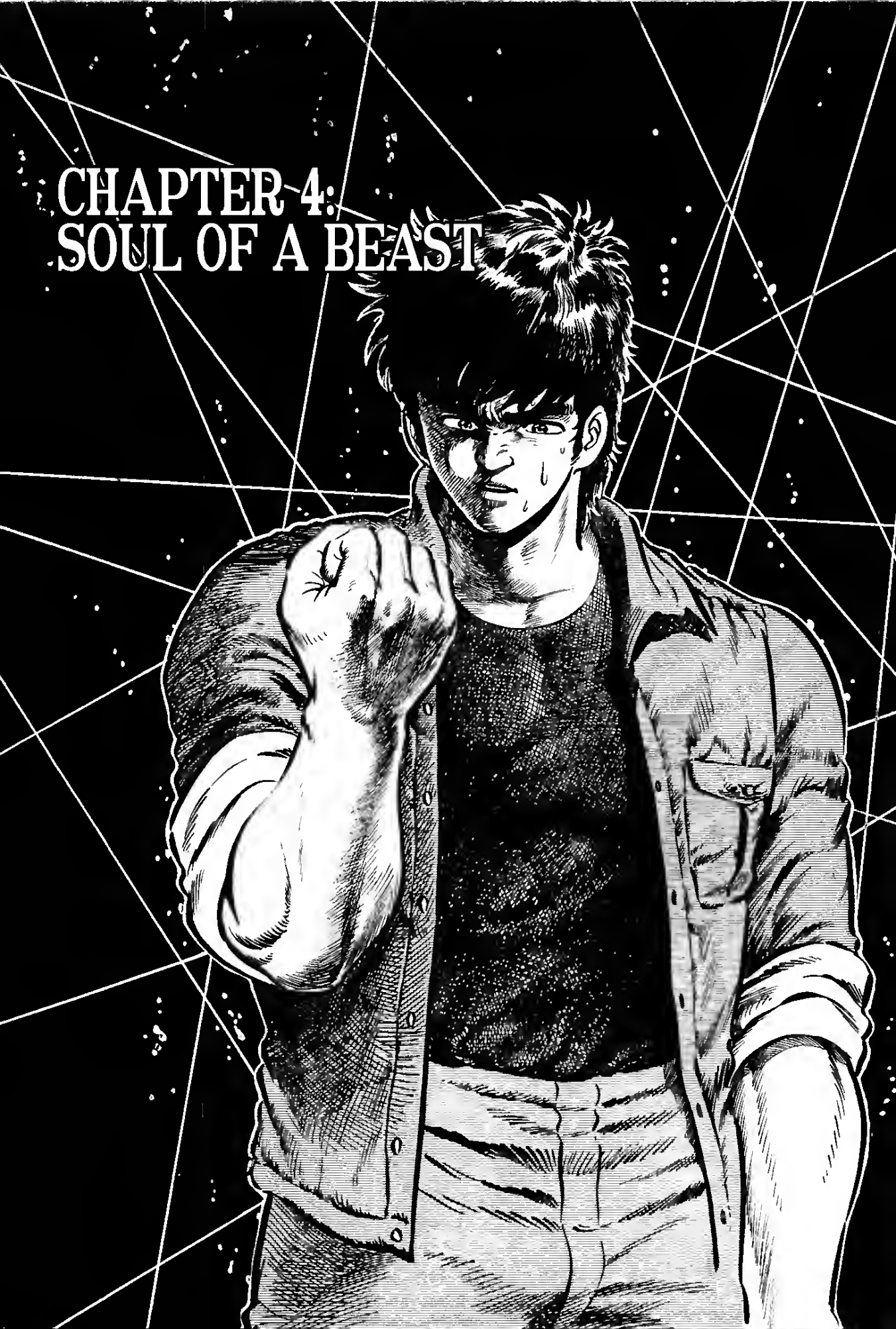
CHAPTER 4: SOUL OF A BEAST



I'LL SAY IT AGAIN.
I'M IWAGAMI ISHIMATSU, AND YOU'RE IN MY SEAT. SCRAM!
HEY, KID!!
OH, SHUT THE HELL UP...
IT'S DINNER TIME HERE!
SO WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU DOING, KICKING UP DUST IN HERE?
D-DO AS HE SAYS, YOU IDIOT!!
D-DON'T YOU KNOW WHO HE IS?
AHH!

THIS IS THE GUY THAT CONQUERED ALL THE JUVIES IN THE KANTO AREA! HE'S KNOWN AS THE "BIG BOSS"!!
HE GETS PASSED AROUND FROM JUVY TO JUVY EVERY TWO MONTHS... N-NO, IT'S MORE LIKE HE PATROLS THE JUVIES!
A-AND THAT SEAT'S ALWAYS RESERVED FOR THE BIG BOSS WHENEVER HE COMES TO CHICHIBU JUVENILE DETENTION CENTER!
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OH, I GET IT. IT'S RIGHT UNDER THE FAN...
RESERVED ...!?
NO WONDER IT FEELS SO COLD.
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...GOT IT? NOW SCRAM!!
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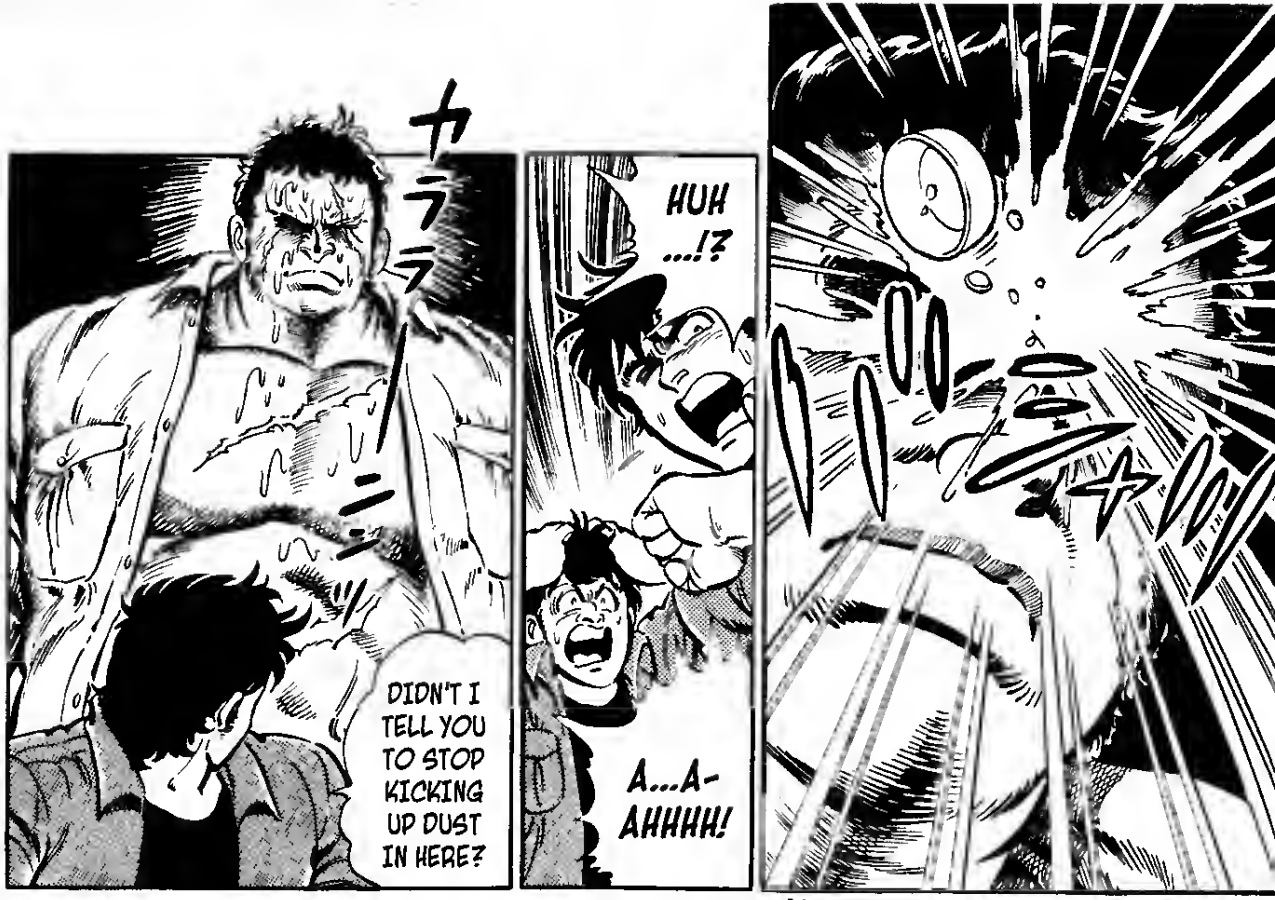
H-HE'S DONE IT NOW...!
AWAWA... T-THAT IDIOT KIMON...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DIDN'T I TELL YOU TO STOP KICKING UP DUST IN HERE?
HUH ...!?
A...A-AHHHH!

RUN! IF WE DON'T GET OUTTA HERE, WE'LL GET CAUGHT UP IN THE CROSSFIRE!!
H-HE'S INSANE! KIMON'S ACTUALLY PICKING A FIGHT WITH THE BIG BOSS!!
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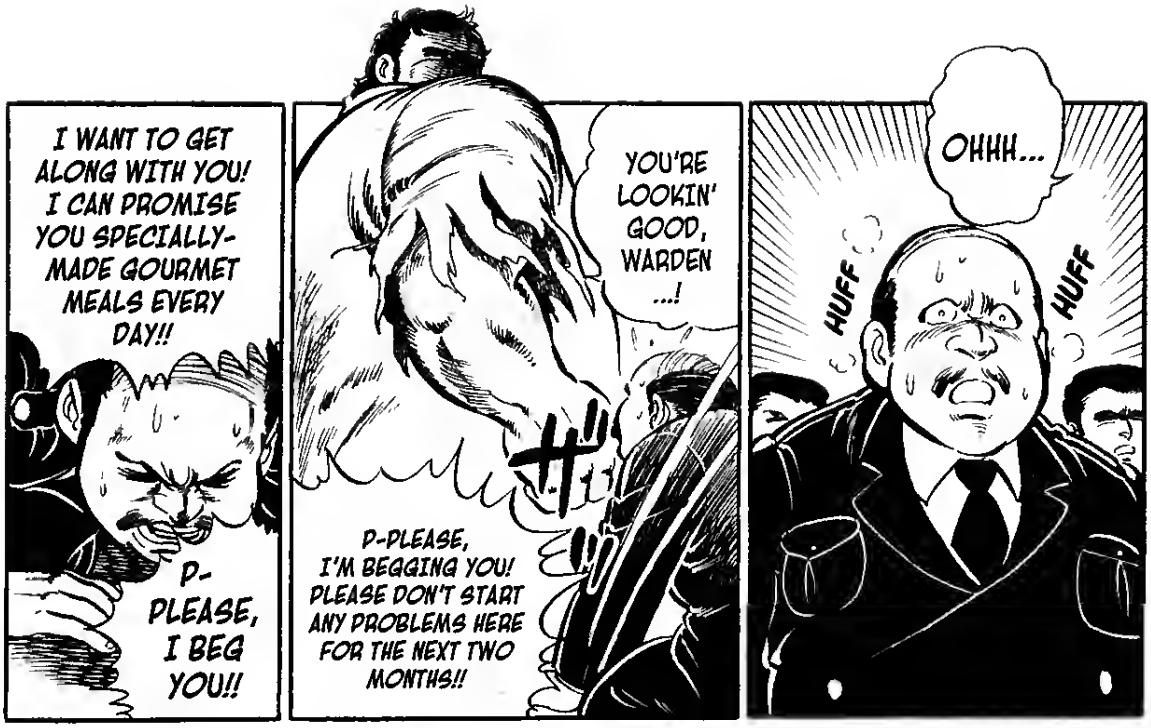
W-WAIT JUST A MINUTE, IWAGAMI !!
WE HAVE YOUR DINNER READY FOR YOU IN THE OTHER ROOM... LET US DEAL WITH THAT GUY!!
FUCKIN' BRAT!


I WANT TO GET ALONG WITH YOU! I CAN PROMISE YOU SPECIALLY-MADE GOURMET MEALS EVERY DAY!!
P-PLEASE, I BEG YOU!!
YOU'RE LOOKIN' GOOD, WARDEN ...!
P-PLEASE, I'M BEGGING YOU! PLEASE DON'T START ANY PROBLEMS HERE FOR THE NEXT TWO MONTHS!!
OHHH...
HUFF
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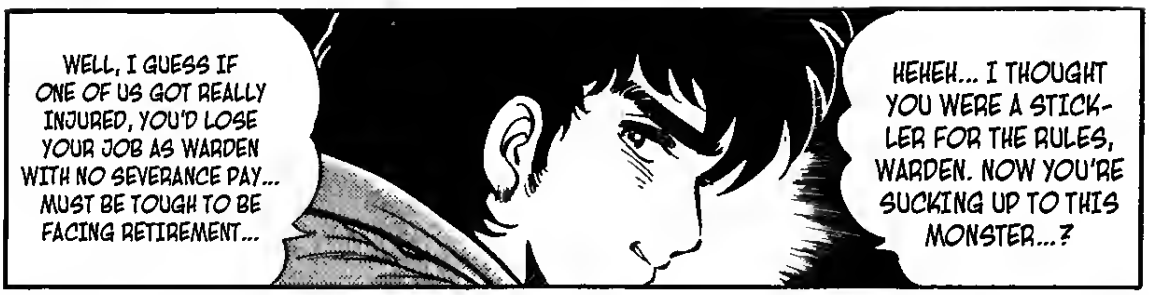
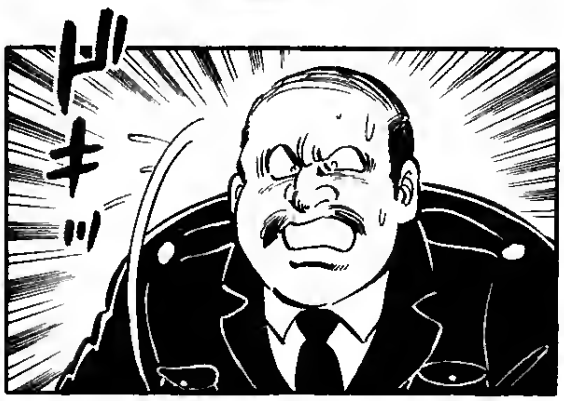
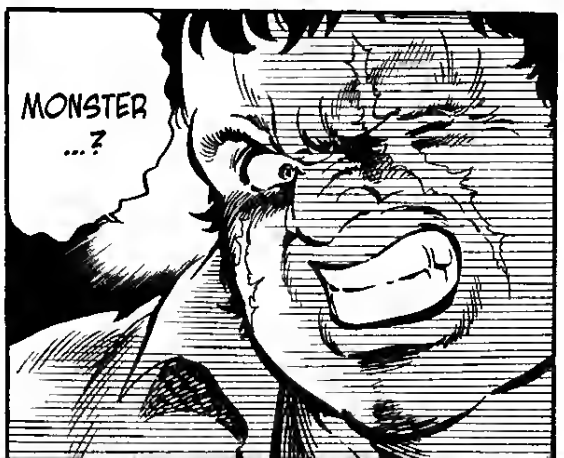

WELL, I GUESS IF ONE OF US GOT REALLY INJURED, YOU'D LOSE YOUR JOB AS WARDEN WITH NO SEVERANCE PAY... MUST BE TOUGH TO BE FACING RETIREMENT...
HEHEH... I THOUGHT YOU WERE A STICK-LER FOR THE RULES, WARDEN. NOW YOU'RE SUCKING UP TO THIS MONSTER...?

HEY, WHAT ARE YOU GUYS DOING? GET HIM TO THE OTHER ROOM, AND QUICK!!
I-IWAKAMI! DON'T LET HIM GET TO YOU!
Y... YES, SIR!

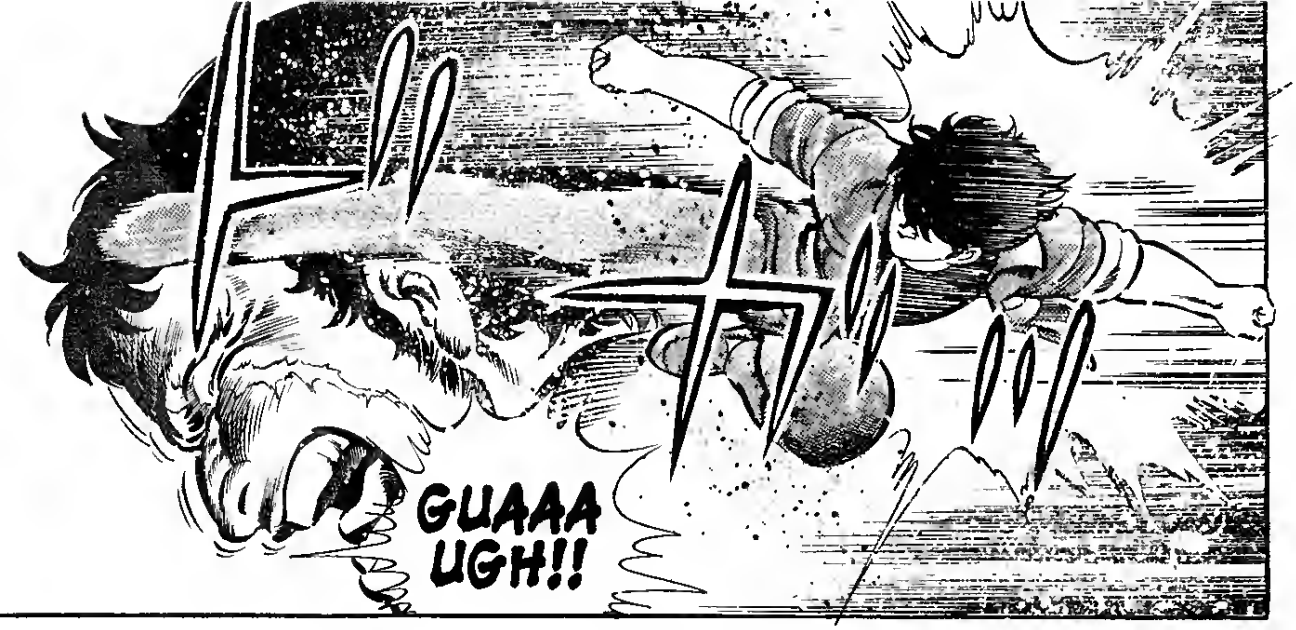


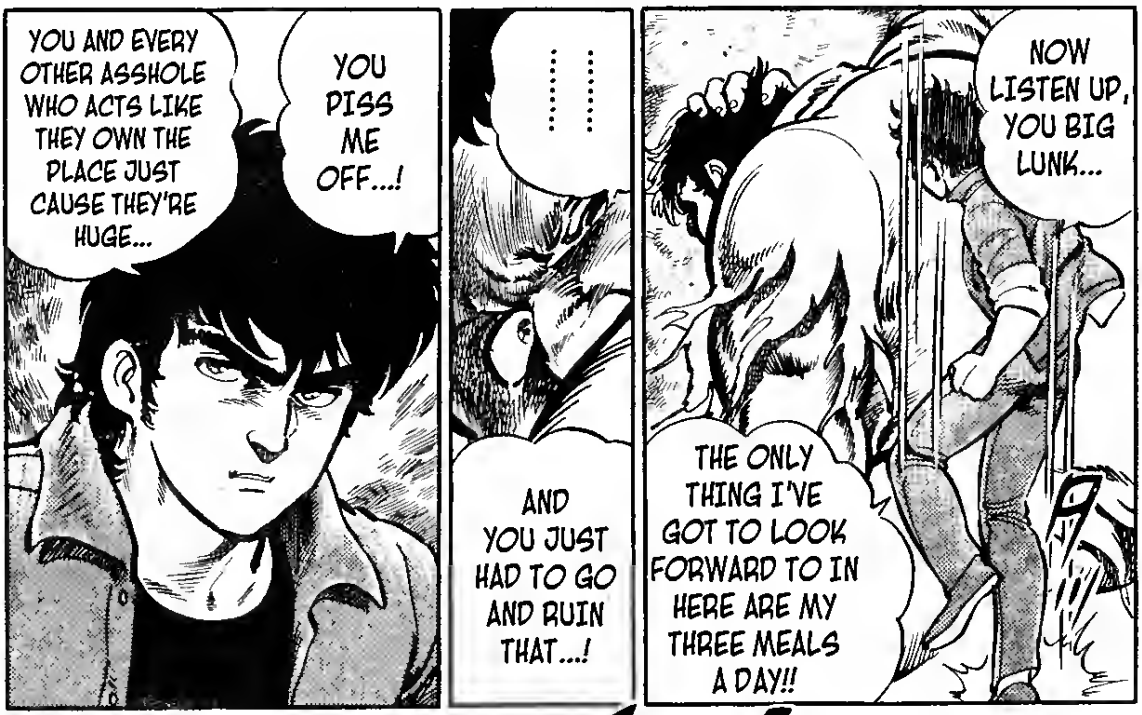

MONSTER ...?

OUTTA MY WAY!!
DWAAA AUGH!!
I- IWAKAM... 6YAAHHHH!
NUO OOOOO OOOOO OOOOO OUGH!!
UOO ORYA AAAA AAAA AAH!!

WAAA UGH!!
OHHH HHHH!!
URRR RGH... GRAAAA AAAAAA UGH!!
GRRR RRRRR RRRRR R...!!
UGAAA AAAAA AAAAA AAAH!

P-PLEASE, STOP!!
AHH HHHH HHH!!


GUAAA
UGH!!


YOU AND EVERY OTHER ASSHOLE WHO ACTS LIKE THEY OWN THE PLACE JUST CAUSE THEY'RE HUGE...
YOU PISS ME OFF...!
.....
AND YOU JUST HAD TO GO AND RUIN THAT...!
NOW LISTEN UP, YOU BIG LUNK...
THE ONLY THING I'VE GOT TO LOOK FORWARD TO IN HERE ARE MY THREE MEALS A DAY!!

SAVE YOUR SHIT-TALKING FOR WHEN YOU'RE IN HELL!!
SHUT THE FUCK UP!!
W-WHAT THE HELL IS THAT...!?
HUH!?

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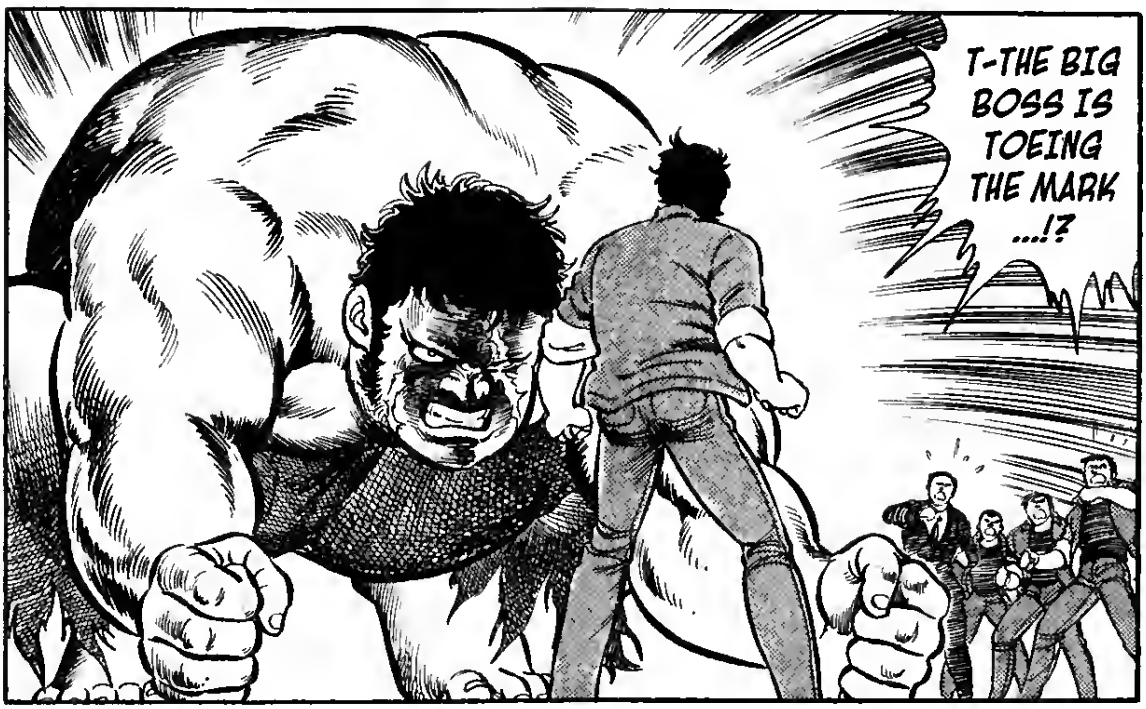
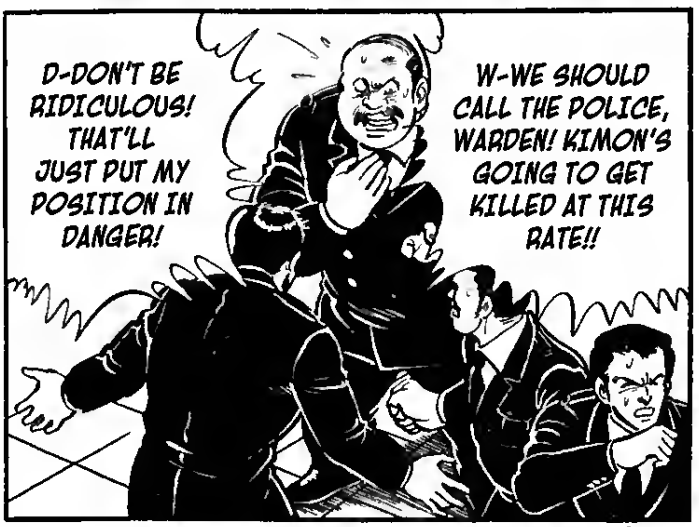

T-THE BIG BOSS IS TOEING THE MARK ...!?

S-STILL, HE WAS TOUGH TO TAKE MY KICK HEAD-ON AND SHRUG IT OFF LIKE NOTHING...
...SO HE'S A SUMO WRESTLER ...!

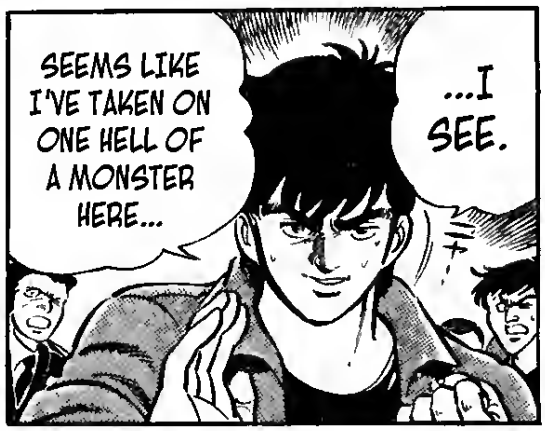

D-DON'T BE RIDICULOUS! THAT'LL JUST PUT MY POSITION IN DANGER!
W-WE SHOULD CALL THE POLICE, WARDEN! KIMON'S GOING TO GET KILLED AT THIS RATE!!

HE SHOULD BE ABLE TO DO SOMETHING TO STOP IWAKAMI!!
T-THAT'S IT! IBA... CALL DIRECTOR IBA!!
B-BUT HE'S OUT RUNNING AN ERRAND...

R-RUN FOR IT, KIMON!!
IF YOU TAKE HIS CHARGE HEAD-ON, HE'LL PULVERIZE YOU!!
THE BIG BOSS IS SO STRONG, HE COULD'VE BEEN A YOKOZUNA IF HE HADN'T BEEN EXPELLED FROM SUMO FOR STRANGLING HIS FELLOW STUDENTS TO DEATH DURING PRACTICE AND RAPING HIS COACH'S DAUGHTER!!

W-WHAT!?

I'LL MAKE SURE YOU NEVER TALK SHIT AGAIN!!


SEEMS LIKE I'VE TAKEN ON ONE HELL OF A MONSTER HERE...
...I SEE.

FUCKIN' BRAT!!

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HHHH
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EEEE
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EEP!!
WAAAAAA
AAAUGH!!

EEK!!
W-WHAT THE...!!
!
W-WHAT HAPPENED TO IWA-KAMI...!?
COUGH COUGH
HEY! BRING OUT THIS MONSTER'S CUFFS, WHILE THERE'S STILL TIME!!
NOW I CAN FACE MY RETIREMENT IN PEACE! HAHHAHAHA...
OHHHHHH! KIMON! WELL DONE, SON!

IF WE DON'T HURRY, THAT MONSTER'S GONNA...
COME ON, DON'T JUST STAND THERE!
W-WAR-DEN!!
GWE UGH!
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*A METHOD OFTEN USED BY SUMO WRESTLERS AND OTHER WRESTLERS TO PROTECT THEIR GROIN.

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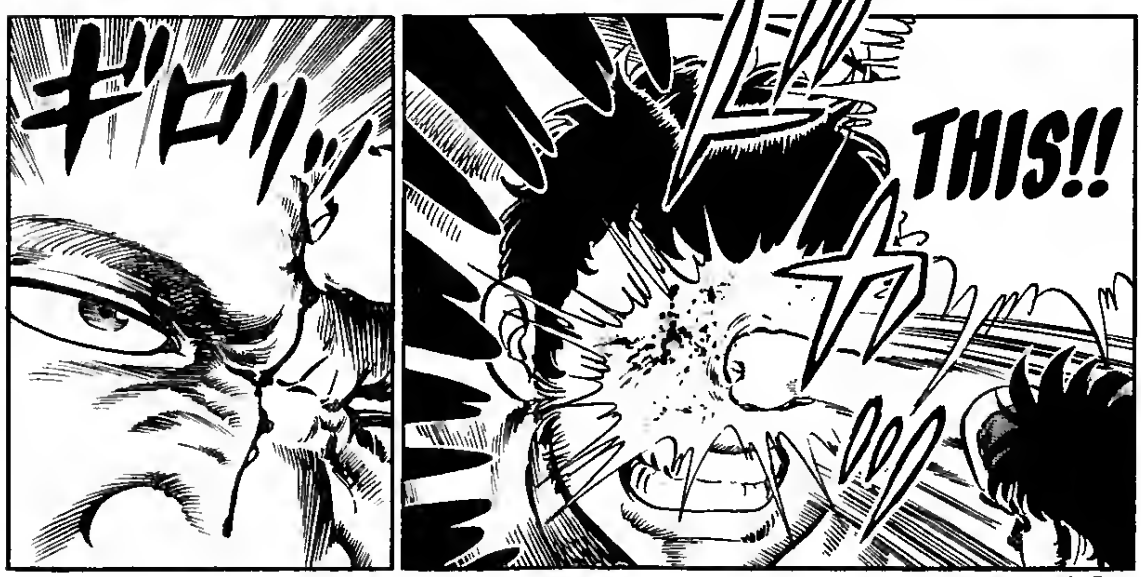
COUGH
COUGH
COUGH
HRR RRK ...
COUGH ...!

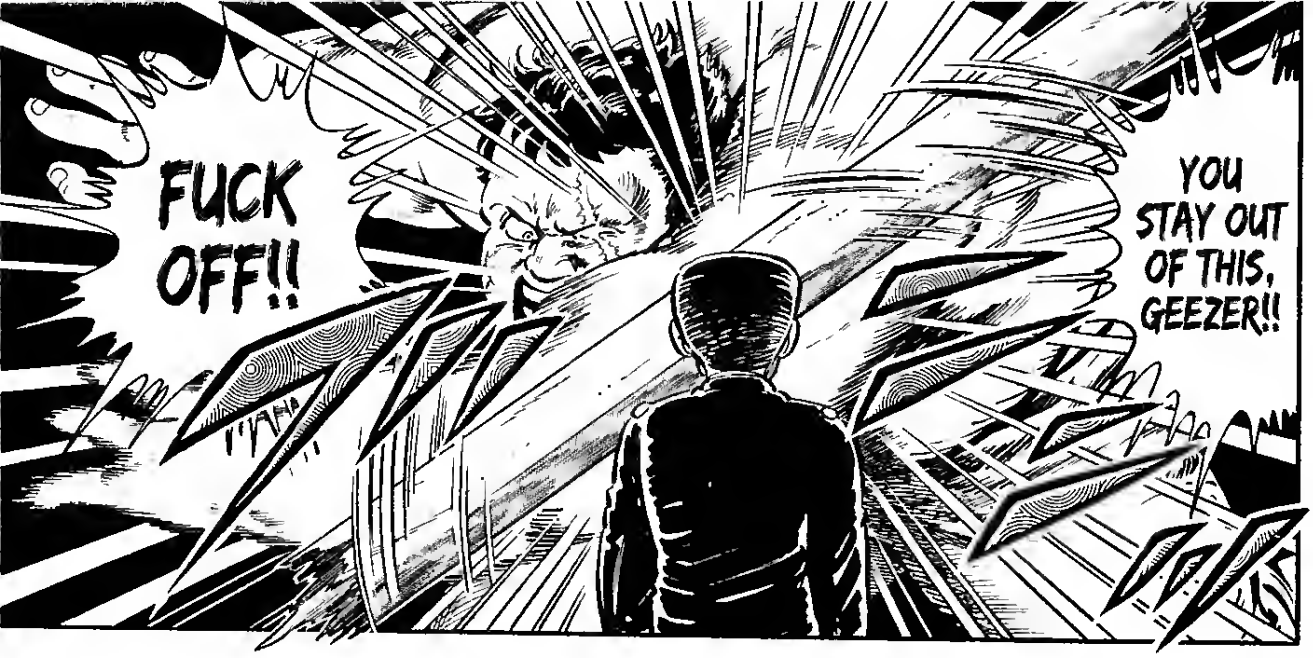
UGAA AAAAA AAAAA AAAA AH!!

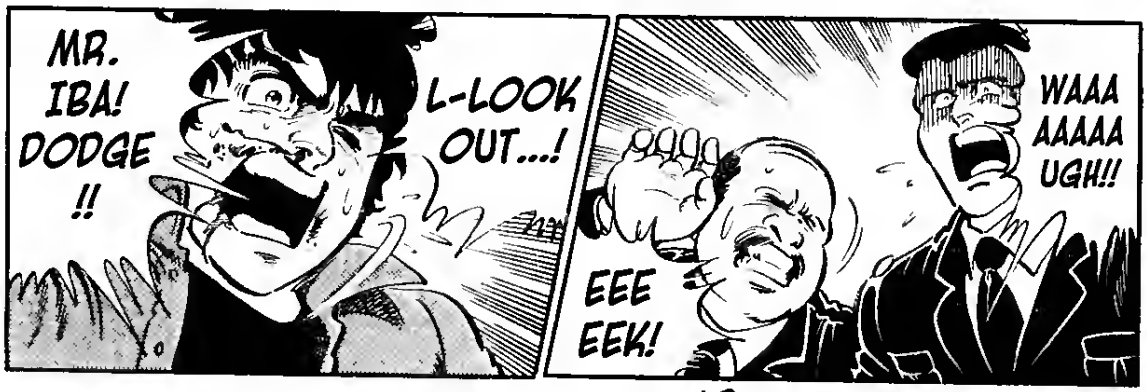
H-HE'S LIKE A RUNAWAY BULLDOZER!!
H-HE BROKE DOWN THE HUTCH IN ONE HIT...!?
H-HOW ABOUT...

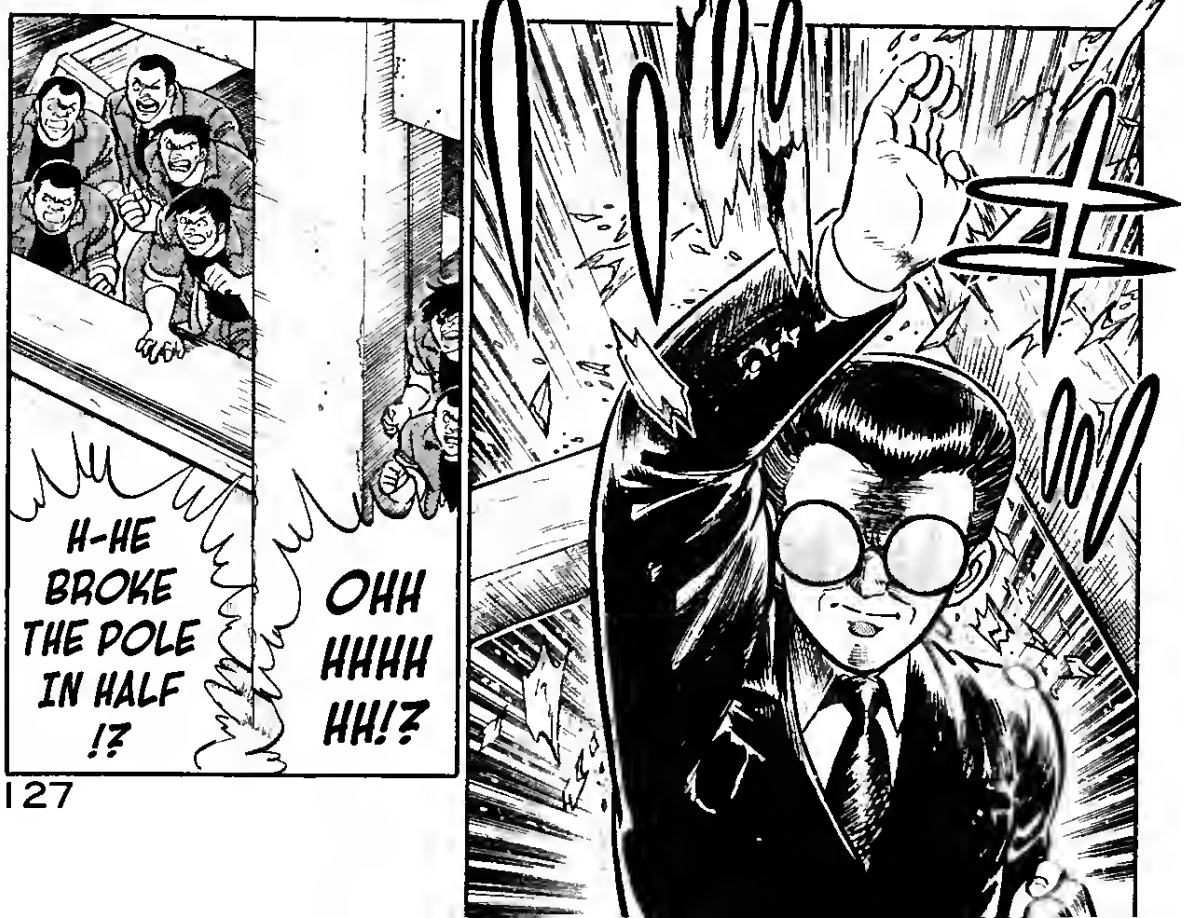

THIS!!

GWAA UGH!!
BUT IT BARELY EVEN HURT THIS MONSTER ....!!
"KUBUKAI" KARATE'S STRAIGHT THRUSTS ARE SUPPOSED TO BE THE STRONGEST OF ALL TIME...
I-IT DIDN'T DO A THING...

THAT'S ENOUGH, IWAKAMI!!
M-MR. IBA!
I-IT'S IBA ...!?
T-TOOK YOU LONG ENOUGH, IBA! NOW HURRY UP AND SUBDUE HIM!!


FUCK OFF!!
YOU STAY OUT OF THIS, GEEZER!!

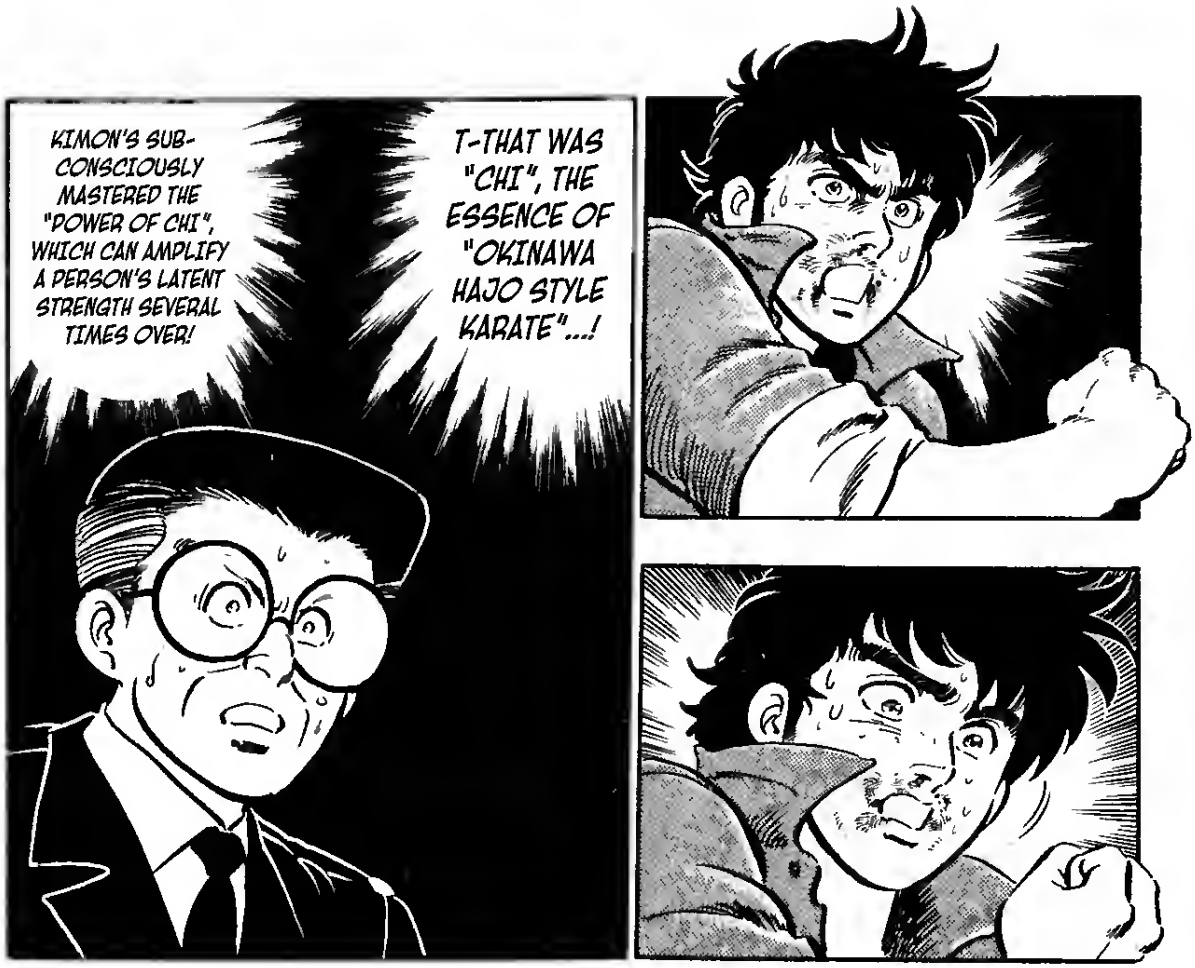

MR. IBA! DODGE !!
L-LOOK OUT...!
EEE EEK!
WAAA AAAAA UGH!!

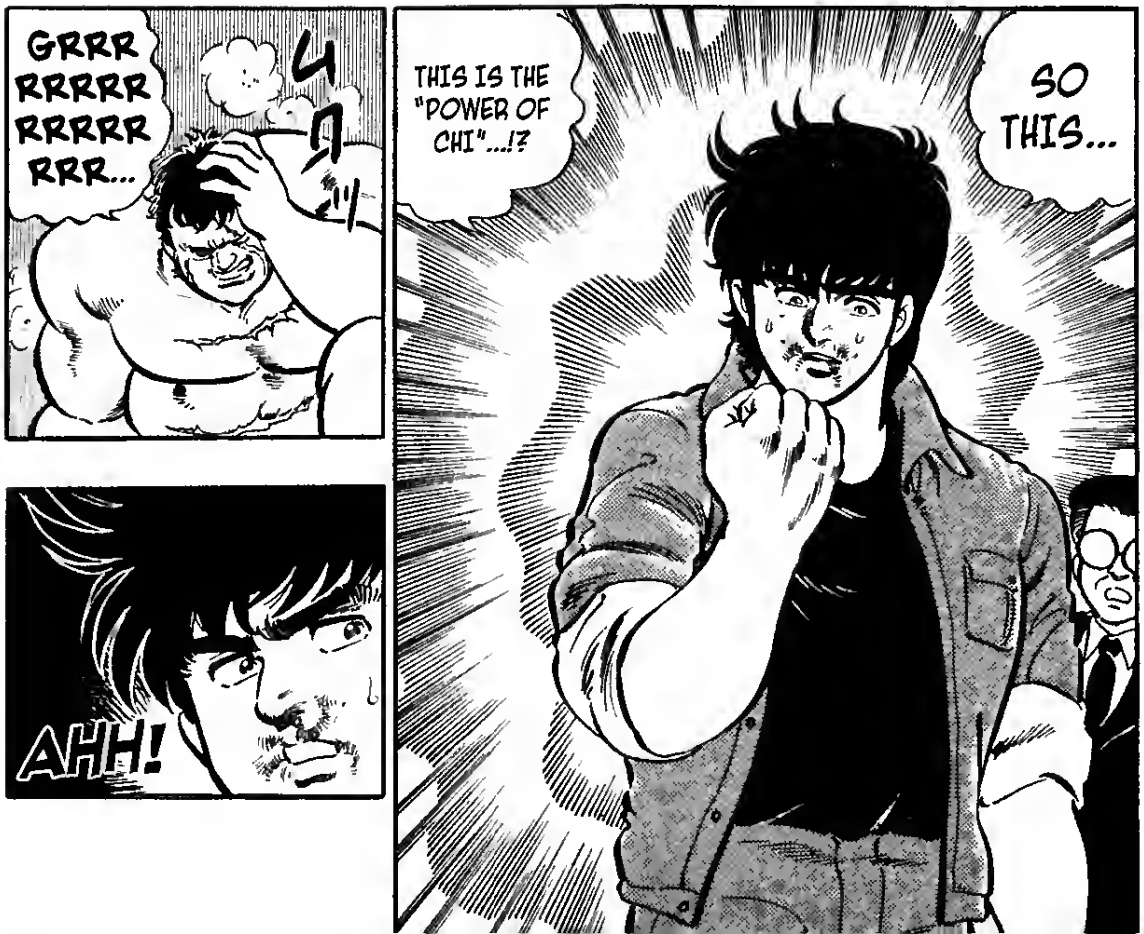

H-HE BROKE THE POLE IN HALF !?
OHH HHHH HH!?

...YOU WANNA GO, HUH?
...INTER-ESTING.
I DON'T CARE IF YOU THINK YOU'RE SOME MARTIAL ARTS EXPERT. I BEAT THE SHIT OUTTA ANYONE WHO DISRES-PECTS ME, EVEN IF THEY'RE WOMEN OR CHILDREN...
I NEVER LIKED YOU, ANYWAY...
S-SHIT!
NOT EVEN A MASTER OF HAJO-STYLE KARATE LIKE MR. IBA CAN TAKE HIS RAMMING ATTACK HEAD-ON...
AND YOU'RE ABOUT TO TASTE THE BUSINESS END OF THAT TODAY!!

K-KIMON!?
FUCKIN' BRAT!!
I'LL RUN YOU OVER, AND THE OLD GEEZER TOO!!
ARRR RRRRR RRRRR RRRRR GGGG HHH!!

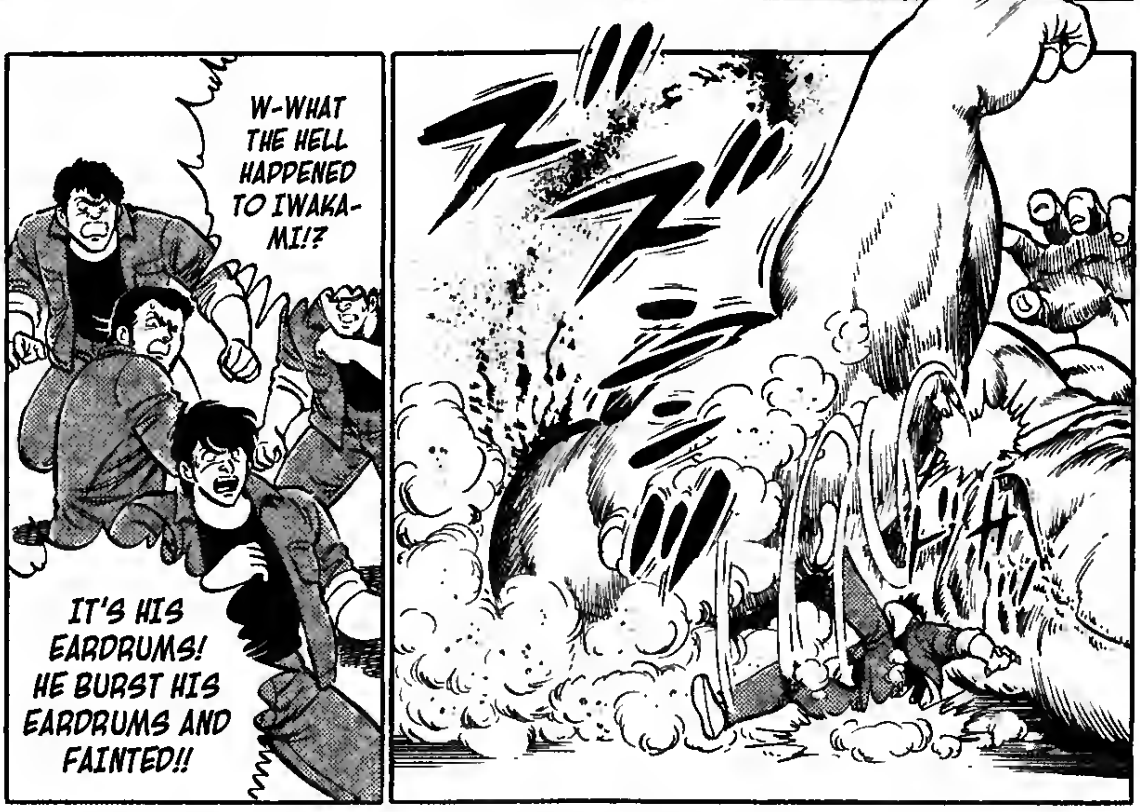
NO WAY! BUT HE WEIGHS 300KG!
K-KIMON KNOCKED IWAKAMI BACK WITH A SINGLE PUNCH...!?


KIMON'S SUB-CONSCIOUSLY MASTERED THE "POWER OF CHI", WHICH CAN AMPLIFY A PERSON'S LATENT STRENGTH SEVERAL TIMES OVER!
T-THAT WAS "CHI", THE ESSENCE OF "OKINAWA HAJO STYLE KARATE"...!

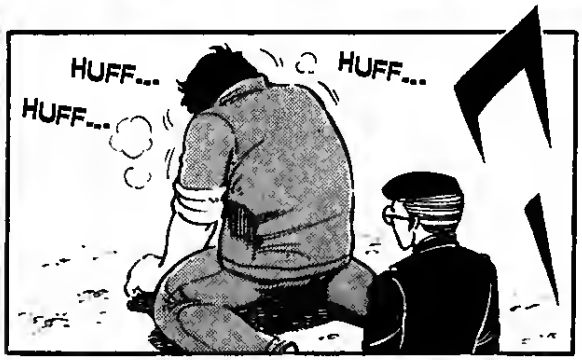

GRRR RRRRR RRRRR RRR...
AHH!
THIS IS THE "POWER OF CHI"...!?
SO THIS...

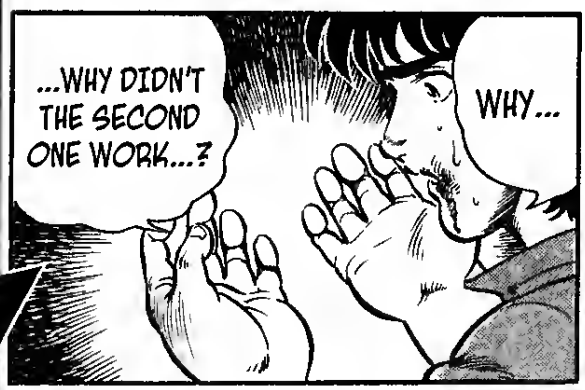
S-STOP! IT'S TOO DANGER-OUS!!
AL-RIGHT! TIME TO FINISH YOU OFF!!
WAAA AAUGH !?
URYAA AAAAA AAAH!!
W-WHAT!?
...HUH?

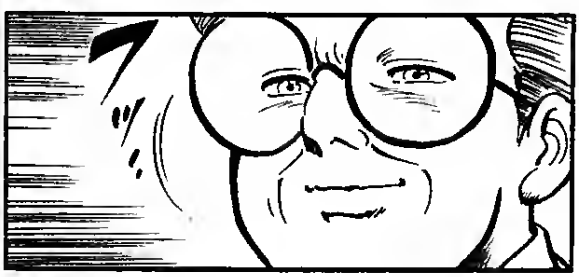
GGH ...!
W-WHY...? THE FIRST ONE WORKED... FINE...!
T-THAT'S IT!!
THAT'S IWAKAMI'S FINISHING MOVE, THE ONE THAT KILLED HIS FELLOW STUDENTS!!
HE'S GONNA BREAK KIMON'S SPINE AT THIS RATE!!
W-WH... Y...!?
UGA AAH HH!!
IF THIS KEEPS GOING... MY JOB WILL BE IN DANGER...!
I-IBA! D-DO SOMETHING ABOUT THIS!!
GYAAA AAAAAA AAAH!!
WHO-AAA!?
ARRR RRRRR RRGH!!
KUOO OOH!!


W-WHAT THE HELL HAPPENED TO IWAKAMI!?
IT'S HIS EARDRUMS! HE BURST HIS EARDRUMS AND FAINTED!!

G-GO! NOW'S OUR CHANCE!!
TIE HIM DOWN BEFORE HE WAKES UP!!
YES, SIR!!







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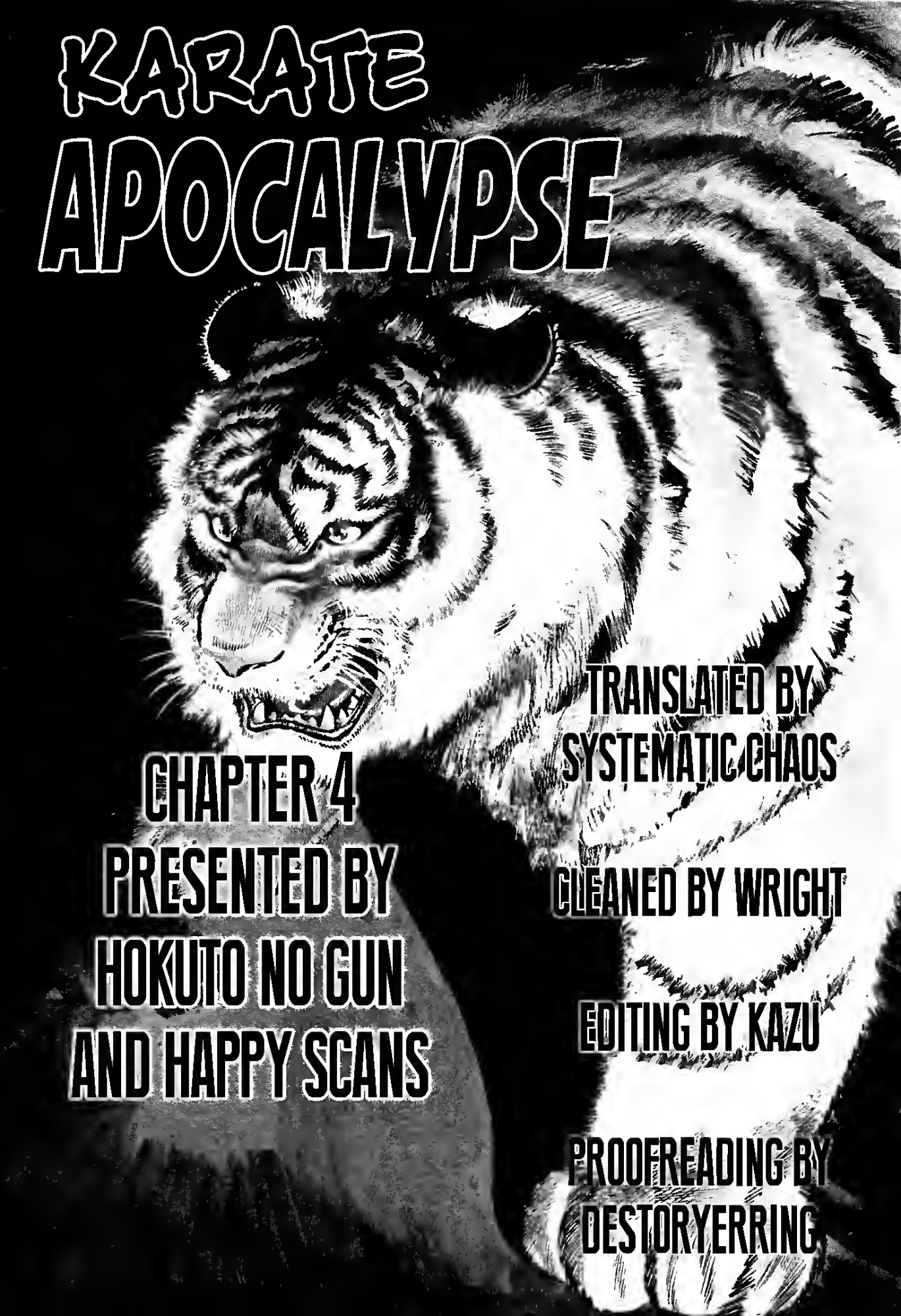
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